

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re United States Patent Application of:</b>	)	<b>Docket No.:</b>	<b>020732-000440 (7493)</b>
<b>Applicants:</b>	)	<b>Conf. No.:</b>	<b>7514</b>
<b>Application No.:</b>	)	<b>Art Unit:</b>	<b>1793</b>
<b>Date Filed:</b>	)	<b>Examiner:</b>	<b>Lois L. Zheng</b>
<b>Title:</b>	)	<b>Customer</b>	<b>24239</b>
<b>METHOD FOR</b>	)	<b>No.:</b>	
<b>MONITORING SURFACE</b>	)		
<b>TREATMENT OF COPPER</b>	)		
<b>CONTAINING DEVICES</b>	)		

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**RESPONSE TO JUNE 5, 2008 OFFICE ACTION IN U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NO.  
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Sir:

This responds to the June 5, 2008 Office Action in the above-identified application.

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The claims of the application are set out in the following **Section I (The Claims)**.

Remarks addressing the substance of the June 5, 2008 Office Action are set out in the **Section II (Remarks)** hereof.